27 September 1944

Honorable Harold D. Smith Director Bureau of the Budget Washington 25, D. C.

My dear Mr. Smith:

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I received your letter of 23 September 1944 and will be very glad to give you my plans, both for immediate adjustments to meet current conditions and also those which will be necessary during the period following the defeat of Germany.

Immediately following my return to this country a week ago from the European and Mediterranean Theaters, I instructed that such a study be made, in the light of plans which had been formulated during my trip, for the operations of this agency in those theaters.

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Mr. Louis M. Ream Deputy Director - Administrative Services, is designated with full authority to deal with representatives of the Bureau of the Budget to work out arrangements for such adjustments. I have instructed him to cooperate to the fullest extent with your representatives.

Sincerely yours,

William J. Donovan Director

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